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IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Seymour Butters, Corres.

Those from Bethel participating in the golf tournament at Brunswick over the week end were Charles Keoskie, Ray Moran, Herbert Rowe and Clayton Crockett.

Miss Minnie Wilson is now at her home on Mason Street, after spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lapham following her return from the Rumford Community Hospital.

The Bethel Fire Department was called to the scenes of two fires Sunday. The first was a grass fire at Dr. Harrell's Sunday River, where Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sumner are now living. The second was a chimney fire at the home of Mrs. Stella Eames on Paradise Road.

Boy Scout Troop 565 went on a hike to Tumble Down Dick Mountain in Gilead on Sunday. Scoutmaster Ivory Currier Jr., and his assistants, Frank McKeever and Adrien Morin supervised the outing. About 22 boys climbed the mountain and enjoyed a cook-out at noon.

Mrs. Bettyann Hastings, Mrs. Caroline Balch, Mrs. Cathy McClusky, Mrs. Jodi Carter and Mrs. Jane Carlson visited the Landmark School in Fride's Crossing, Mass., Thursday. Dr. Charles Drake, founder of the school, accompanied them on a tour of the facilities of the school, and discussed methods of teaching.

TELSTAR MUSIC DEPARTMENT TO PRESENT SPRING CONCERT THURSDAY, MAY 9

Thursday, May 9, the Telstar Senior Chorus, Band and Stage Band will be presenting their annual Spring Concert. The concert will be in the auditorium at 7:30 at Telstar. Minimum donations of 50 cents for students for \$1.00 for adults are being requested. Come and enjoy a terrific evening of music!

POPPY DAY — 1974

Friday and Saturday, May 17 and 18 are Poppy Days, 1974, in Bethel.

On those days members of the American Legion Auxiliary will be on the street corners offering to the public replicas of the bright red wild flowers which were so prevalent in the fields of France during World Wars I and II.

Selma Chapman, Poppy Chairman of American Legion Auxiliary Unit #81 emphasized that all funds donated for the poppies are directed toward rehabilitation of veterans.

The poppy was chosen by the Auxiliary in 1921 as the memorial flower of the sacrifice made by men and women for America. Each year, more than 12,000 Auxiliary units across the country offer poppies. Veterans benefit not only through rehabilitation from poppy funds, but also from making poppies. Each veteran is paid for each poppy. Poppies to be offered here were made by veterans at the V. A. Hospital in Togus.

Annual meeting of the East Bethel Cemetery Assn., Monday, May 6, 8 p. m. home of Leslie Noyes.

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MRS. SAUNDERS IS CANDIDATE FOR LEGISLATURE IN DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

Mrs. Emily Saunders, Bethel Democrat, has announced her candidacy for District 63 representative to the Legislature.



Mrs. Emily Saunders

Mrs. Saunders has not sought elective office before, but has been active in politics for 30 years, as a member of county and local committees, as well as in several state conventions. She has participated extensively in civic and church affairs and has contributed much to the community. In her view, election to the Legislature is an opportunity to contribute more meaningful service to the communities in the District.

WEEK IN OXFORD CO.

The first class at Bryant Pond Conservation School was scheduled for April 29. The Bryant Pond Director is Lorraine Stubbs. Basic survival training has been added to the curriculum. The instructors for the training courses will be provided by the Fish and Game Department until personnel from the school staff have completed instructor training.

The Rumford High School band presented a Free Appreciation Concert Friday night at Muskie Auditorium to show their appreciation for the help the towns people gave them when they were raising money for the trip to Ireland.

Larry Todd began his duties as Town Manager at Norway on Monday. He is a native of Fort Fairfield, graduate of Husson College and has served in municipal government for five years.

Miss Flora E. Whitman, 84, perished Friday night in a fire that destroyed her home on the Lovejoy Road on Streaked Mountain, Buckfield. Officials found the woman's body about two feet from the door.

TELSTAR THIRD IN 4-WAY TRACK MEET AT JAY

Lisbon High dominated a quadrangular Mountain Valley Conference track opener at Jay with 108 1/2 points. Tuesday. The host Tigers were second with 64 1/2 and Telstar and Leavitt trailed with 39 and 28 points respectively.

NOTICE SAVE SONGO

A meeting for any citizen interested in the protection and preservation of Songo Pond will be held at 2 p. m. Saturday afternoon, May 4, at the Casco Bank Community Room.

American Legion GAME NIGHT

Every Thursday Evening
7:00 o'clock

Mundt-Allen Post No. 81
Legion Hall, Vernon St.
Bethel

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The tax assessing is proceeding at a rapid pace. The majority of the board of assessors devoted last Saturday morning to the work. One member of the board has worked with the town office staff several days this week in an attempt to complete the project early this year.

On May 6, the town trucks will patrol roads in town looking for rubbish to be disposed of. If a person lives on a road with only a few houses and they want the trucks to call, they should notify either the town garage or office as we might not travel these roads unless we knew there was a need for it. The rest of the week we will haul any rubbish we are aware of, but will not be making patrols.

All loose material must be in disposable containers. Any other objects two men can lift into the trucks will be taken if they pertain to a spring clean up. We will not clean out cellars or dispose of buildings.

The plans for a junk motor vehicle clean-up this summer are progressing. The National Guard and people with a crusher are planning to work with the town on this project. The town will not be paying for these vehicles. We will provide an opportunity for land owners to have them removed at no charge.

Elwyn N. Dickey

TELSTAR MUSIC DEPT. RECEIVES GIFT FROM BETHEL TOWN BAND

Last week Glenn Bangs, Telstar Music Director, was given a check for \$196.36 from Earl Davis, treasurer of the Bethel Town Band. The money is going to be used to purchase a new concert snare drum for use in the Telstar Junior and Senior Bands. The Telstar Music Dept. would like to take this opportunity to thank the former members of the Bethel Town Band for their generous gift.

PREPARED CHILDBIRTH GROUP TO MEET IN RUMFORD WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

The Prepared Childbirth Organization will begin another series of classes for expectant parents on May 8. Five weekly classes will be held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p. m. at the Greater Rumford Community Center. This will be the last series until fall.

All expectant women and their husbands are invited to attend, although the course is specially geared for those in the last three months of pregnancy. The following is a brief outline of topics covered in the course: prenatal care, fetal development, nutrition, body conditioning exercises; stages of labor and delivery; relaxation exercises; breathing patterns; hospital procedures, infant care, and physical and emotional adjustments to motherhood.

More information may be obtained by calling Jennifer Cohen at 594-8652, Sandra Chipman at 345-2401, or Louise Stickney at 264-4241.

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CHAMBER'S HOSPITALITY NIGHT ATTRACTS 34 MEMBERS AND GUESTS LAST FRIDAY

Thirty-four members and guests attended the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce Hospitality Night held on Friday, April 26, at Sunday River Inn. Among those in attendance were many people who have recently moved to the community.

During the business portion of the evening Steve Chandler outlined steps he and Mike O'Donnell have taken to learn more about the possibility of securing Federal funds for outdoor recreation projects in the community. A lively discussion followed and a committee of Steve Chandler, Jack Brooks, Dick Waldron, Cal Carlson and Greg Snyder was appointed to study the types of projects possible and to make recommendations to the Town Council.

Hi Berry reported the progress of the sign committee. The Chamber plans to provide signs for the town to erect at all major entrances to the town before the summer tourist season gets underway.

Barbara Brown announced that the Citizenship Awards Selection Committee will be meeting soon. The Annual Awards Banquet will be held at The Bethel Inn on June 18.

A nominating committee comprised of Hi Berry, Mike Brown, and Brad Barker was selected to present a slate of officers for the coming year at the annual election meeting to be held on May 21 at the Casco Bank.

OXFORD COUNTY REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES DINNER AT NORWAY, MAY 10

The Hannibal Hamlin Republican Women's Club of Oxford County are sponsoring a Candidate Dinner on Friday, May 10, at 6 p. m. at the Norway Congregational Church. All candidates of the County have been invited to attend—as well as Republican candidates for Governor, and Congressman William Cohen who will be the speaker for the program.

A short auction with Stuart Martin as the auctioneer when articles given by local merchants will go to the "highest bidder." is also on the evening's program.

Mrs. Chester C. Bean, Mrs. Donald McAllister, Mrs. Jacob Immon and Miss Edwin Guyer are serving on the committee. It is reported that officers from the State Republican Headquarters at Augusta will be present as well as National Committee members.

There is an advance sale of tickets and may be purchased until May 6 from the committee members.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY TO MEET

On Monday, May 6, at 7:30 p. m. the Bethel Branch of the Rumford Hospital Auxiliary will hold a regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Bea Bigelow, Church Street.

MINERAL AND GEM ASSN. TO MEET MAY 15

Oxford County Gem and Mineral Association Inc. meets Wednesday, May 15, at 7:30 p. m. at the Rumford Public Library. The public is invited.

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RESCUE COURSE AT BETHEL

The above picture was taken during the light duty rescue course that was held at Bethel Fire Station last Sunday. Mary Myers is the "victim" on the spine board being lowered from the second floor by Bud Howe and Bill Shumamura.

The day long course was presented by a Maine Bureau of Civil Emergency Preparedness team of instructors under the direction of Lloyd Drinkwater of Belfast. The course was part of the continuing training carried on by the Bethel Emergency Ambulance and Rescue Service and was attended by members of that group as well as two members of the Andrews Ambulance Service.

The morning session was taken up with knotting, hitches and rope splicing demonstration of first aid techniques as pertain to rescue personnel.

DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Dollars for Scholars will be conducting a door to door membership drive. From May 3 through May 12 students from S. A. D. 44 will be going from door to door in the five town area. The drive is under the leadership of Susan Bryant with Sam Elliot as advisor.

GUEST LECTURER AT GOULD WEEK OF MAY 6-11

Sir George F. Pollock of Dorking, England, will be guest lecturer at Gould Academy during the week of May 6 to May 11. Sir George will present a program of dissolving view slide sequences at Bingham Hall on Monday, May 6, at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially welcome.

BETHEL LIBRARY ASSOCIATION HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING MONDAY EVENING

The annual meeting of the Bethel Library Association was held at the Library on Monday evening, April 29. At this time officers for the year were elected as follows: President, Frances Harding; Vice President, Ray Moran; Secretary, Margaret Tibbitts; Treasurer, Anne Benson; Librarian, Virginia Kenyon. Trustees for one year, Ruth Ames, Edmund Vailen, Anne Higgins, Madeleine Goble, Robert Waldron, Nell Valentine, Ralph Hall, Louise Lincoln, Philip Church, Norris Brown, Dorothy Boyce, Donald Brown, Rebecca Randall, Margaret Tibbitts, Anne Benson, Ben Farmer, Bruce Bailey, Ronald Kenyon, Susan O'Donnell, Frances Harding, Jo Ellen Carter, Joan McGuire, John Hout, Michael Gilbert, Ray Moran, and Mary Valentine.

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Mrs. Collette Morgan, Corras.
If spring arrived suddenly and in full-bloom, I presume half of its importance to us would be lost. We have seen many changes this week and most of them good.

One afternoon I watched a strange duck to our section, the female American merganser. She performed for more than an hour. Her preening was spectacular as she strutted along the edge of the ice using the water for a mirror. I viewed her from every angle and through my binoculars could plainly see her crested rufous-red head, reddish bill and feet. Her suit was gray with white patches on her wings. With such spring finery no wonder she needed a mirror. She was alone, finally, moved down the pond and in the morning was gone. She made my afternoon.

This week after the vanish of sick miseries, I took two walks and how good it seemed! When I left the house the sky was a vast blue bowl; its edges resting on the horizon.

At the end of the driveway a woodcock rose in a straight course with a slight whistling sound. He is a chunky, warm brown, and almost neckless bird with an extremely long bill. He was so close that he startled me. But he went on his way as did I.

Up among the slopes there was the haunting sound of brooks, little cascades falling over shelves of rock down to the final level of the pond.

The smell of snow was going out of the forest; the smell of water and earth was again part of the air.

An old road was my pass into the forest, winding its way through old clearings and the quiet of the woods. This forest part of the established landscape carries its own green mystery, sharing with the creatures which keep to the shadows. One section may carry the roar of the wind while another may be as still as a cave.

In places it was wet and of course patches of snow.

Under a little washed-out overhang on the hill side I saw the mound of earth which marked the groundhog's burrow. No doubt he was out enjoying the freshness, too.

I had a country sense of excitement, expecting to meet the unexpected which goes with me at times even when nothing unusual happens. Very small things can give me a start of pleasure: as the woodcock flying up, geese over head, ducks splashing, new birds, small animals.

After reaching the farm fields, I came back down the bulldozer road. In a week's time the new world had come into being: bright sun light, rising temperatures, and the pond once again free dotted here and there with ducks and one lonely, unmarked, mouth full, making a triangle ripple against the sun.

Eta Morris is a patient at Stephen Hospital, Norway.

Wesley Flint who has returned from Florida was a caller at Leon as Hilda this week end.

Don's Hayes is still a patient at St. Mary's Hospital at the time but is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan have been ill a while.

Ray Curtis visited his folks on Sunday.

Followers this week at Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Morgan's were: George Redley, Mrs. M. and Mrs. Carl Brown, West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. M. and Mrs. Allan L. and Mrs. L.

Maynard Chase, West Paris, visited the Hilda on Sunday.

Callers at Mallett were: Carolyn Palmer and son West Paris and Barbara Johnson.

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EAST STONEHAM

Gladys Kilgore, Corras.
Several of the Senior Citizens attended the luncheon given for them at the Country Way Restaurant in South Paris Tuesday. A nice program was given after lunch. There were 152 there.

The Daughters of Veterans met Wednesday night at the Town Hall with 14 members present. A nice lunch was served by Mrs. Joyce Gouin and daughter, Leslie. A birthday cake was presented to Mrs. Louise Littlefield by her daughter, Mrs. Bette Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Doughy and Peter Lombard have been attending the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and Pythian Sisters at Presque Isle for the past five days. Mrs. Helen Grover and Mrs. Vesta Nelson went to the Youth Fellowship Smorgasbord supper held at the Congregational Church in Norway Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Grover spent the week end with her nephew and family in Winthrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Barker and baby girl, Kora, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Errol Barker, Saturday and Sunday.

A bridal shower was given Sunday afternoon at the town hall for Linda Andrews in honor of her approaching marriage to Mr. McCausley of Naples. Mrs. Nancy Barker made the bridal cake. Attractive refreshments were served. She received many nice presents.

Delwin Merrill and Etta Ray attended the Jehovah Witnesses Services at Harrison, Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Grover and Mrs. Gladys Knight went to Bethel Saturday to the Retired Teachers meeting.

The rummage sale was well attended Wednesday. It will be continued Wednesday night.

LEGION AUXILIARY

The meeting of the Mundt-Allen Unit #81, American Legion Auxiliary was opened by President Josephine Tripp at 8 p. m. Tuesday, April 23, at the Legion Hall. There were nine members present with five officers answering the roll call.

It was voted to donate to Project Hope, Radio Free Europe and Foreign Relations (American Legion Auxiliary CARE program in South Korea).

The Unit voted to contribute to the Money trees for Dept. President Virginia Merrill and 2nd Dist. Vice-President Bernadette Dubois at Convention in Sanford.

Poppy Chairman Selma Chapman has designated Poppy Days to be held May 17 and 18, and the Poppy Poster Contest to be conducted in grades 4, 5 and 6 and cash prizes will be awarded to the first, second and third place winners.

It was announced by the president that Cathy Davis will be the delegate to Dirigo Girls' State in June.

Reports were given by the president on the game refreshment fund and the April 1 supper served to the Western Maine Industrial Management Club. She also reported on the County Council meeting at West Paris April 16, which five unit members attended. The next County Council meeting will be held at Oxford, May 21.

The Gold Star Mothers will be remembered by the unit on Mother's Day.

Those appointed to the nominating committee are Laura Inman, Lucia Smith and Ida Forbes. As pointed to the auditing committee are Frances Bennett, Ida Forbes and Pauline McMillan.

It was reported that Romaine Bourdard had to return to the hospital in Berlin N. H. Friday, April 19. Foreign Relations Chairman Ida Forbes presented a program on South Korea.

Caroline Merrill exhibited a money raising project for the Unit. She will undertake this plan for us.

The next meeting will be held May 11.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Bethel Riverside Cemetery Association Inc. will be held at the home of Mrs. R. G. McMillan, High Street, Wednesday, May 15, 1974, at 7:30 p. m. Any person owning a lot is automatically a member of the Association and is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

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SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corras.
Miss Bonnie Dennis is going to Massachusetts for a tooth check. Jack Dennis put up a net and basketball hoop so the children are up there.

Sam Sumner was away for a while this week.

Alan Fleet got a new ten speed bicycle this week and he is well pleased.

A canoe party found water deep enough to go from Sunday River bridge to the Androscoggin River Friday. Six canoes and two kayaks in the group.

Fred Burk's new house is coming along and looks real nice.

R. M. Bean is back home so we can see his light now.

Mrs. Holman Bacon and son are at their place.

Sunday afternoon a brush fire got away from Sam Sumner and the Bethel fire department was called also. The Woodstock department came to bring it under control. No one was hurt that we knew about.

Mrs. Eva Yates, Russell Yates and Julie Fleet were in Norway, Thursday.

ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Harlan Bumpus, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Gene Maillet moved the 19th to their new home. Their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Obuchowski, were week end visitors there.

Mrs. Nona Kingman and Mrs. Pete Henley visited Mr. and Mrs. Ken Barden and other friends in Augusta from Wednesday to Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pope, and George and Patty Tibbets attended the New England Square Dance Convention in Providence, R. I., on the week end.

David Bennett celebrated his seventh birthday Friday at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Laforest Twitchell, Bryant Pond.

Mrs. Nona Kingman's callers have been Mrs. Esther Rugg, Lorrie, Chris, Tina, and Carla; Mrs. Sylvia Cummings of South Paris; Carolyn Smith, Lloyd MacGray, and Donna Dean of South Paris; Terry Inman; and Chester White of Augusta.

Callers of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns were Mrs. Sarah Andrews; Kenneth Bumpus; Mrs. Sylvia Cum-

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Olive Davis, Corras.
Eric Johnson and three helpers are shingling the east side of their cottage (the Union School Building) this week end.

We wish to thank those who are bringing things for the Willing Workers Sale to be held June 1 and 2 at the Union Church, South Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis were in Livermore last Sunday to see her mother, Mrs. Mary Brown, and

minings of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bennett; Mr. and Mrs. Peaco; and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Waterhouse of Locke Mills.

Albert McAllister plowed Mrs. Sarah Andrews' garden Monday morning.

David and Danny Bennett spent three days of the school vacation with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Laforest Twitchell.

Recent callers of the Dick Bennetts have been Mrs. Margaret Barton; Mrs. Polly McAllister and daughter, Carol, of North Waterford; and Wayne Miller, of South Bridgton.

other relatives. They brought Mrs. Brown home with them for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis, Freeport spent the week end with Mrs. Bernice Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis have been having what's going around and it "ain't no fun". I hope no one else will be laid up with it from us. The Campbells and Carl and Lettie Brooks have been so kind in helping us out with our shopping. Addie and Judy have brought us our mail also which was a great help.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis, entertained at a supper at their home when Mrs. Bernice Davis, daughter Ethel, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis came to enjoy a tasty meal served by the hostess. Mrs. Esther Davis, Later in the evening, their daughter, Mrs. Patricia Davis, and two children of Norway called for a visit.

Mrs. Viola Linscott, son Robert, and Robert's five children called on Mrs. Addie Campbell who is Mrs. Linscott's sister and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and family Sunday afternoon. They drove up from West Buxton and had a picnic at Snow's Falls.

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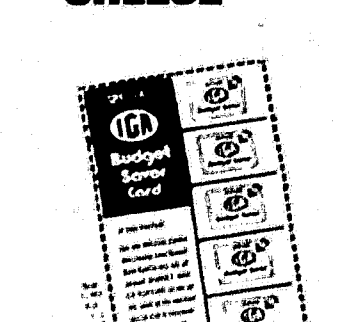
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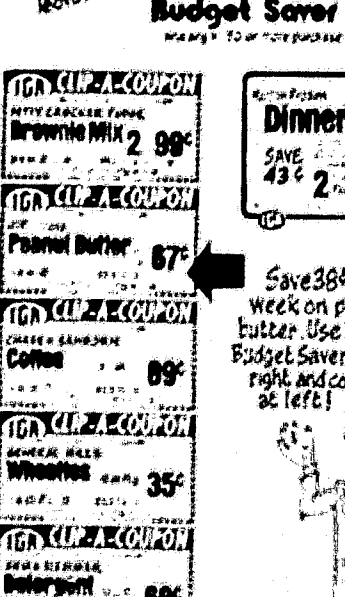


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NEWRY

— Miss Amy E. Hanson, Cor. —

Bear River Grange met Saturday evening at the Grange Hall for a regular meeting. Mrs. Winona Blake was installed as Flora. Bear River Grange will join Alder River, East Bethel; Pleasant Valley, West Bethel; Franklin, Bryant Pond; and Rumford Granges at Bryant Pond, May 6, for a five point meeting. Bear River officers will fill the chairs and the grange will furnish salads. Pleasant Valley and Alder River Granges will put on the program and furnish desserts. Franklin Grange will put on the supper. Rumford will be the visiting grange.

The Young People's Group of the Newry Community Church cleaned the church and grounds Sunday, then met at Willard Wight's field for a ball game. Later they enjoyed a picnic supper at the former Branch School House.

Mrs. Sylvia Wight and Mrs. Persis Post have completed a series of Extension meetings on gardening, planting and preserving small fruits at Rumford.

The Mothers' Club will sponsor a public supper at Bear River Grange Hall Saturday at 5:30.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight during the week end were Katherine and Larry Enman, Errol, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wight, Rumford.

Mrs. Karlene Bachelder, Heidi and Brent, and Mrs. Eleanor Morton and Peter, visited Mr. and Mrs. Philip O'Donnell and family, Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald York and family, Cumberland, during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pelletier, Windham, called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Tripp, Sunday.

Mrs. George Learned visited Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cummings and family, Turner Center, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pugliese, South Portland, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Learned one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Learned and family visited relatives in Roxbury Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tringue, Wallum Lake, R. I., visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Seeley last Thursday.

The annual business meeting of the Union Religious Society of the Newry Community Church was held

NORTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. Linda Fraser, Corres. —

Recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Cole were Mr. Leigh and Miss Rita Fogg from Gorham, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis from South Woodstock, Charles Day, Greenwood; Estes Yates and Russell from Bethel; Mrs. Hazel Cary, Bryant Pond; Valerie Knights and Mr. and Mrs. John Hemingway, local; and their grandson, David Douglas of Fort Kent.

Mildred Poulin has returned home after spending part of the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cox and Lisa, East Bethel, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mary on Tuesday.

Thursday evening Mrs. Edleen Fraser, Bethel, called on Mrs. Linda Fraser and Mary.

Miss Donna Rosenberg, C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, is spending her week's vacation from studies with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosenberg. She also spent a few days with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Rosenberg and Stephanie in Bangor.

Paul McInnis, U. of M., Orono, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Twitchell and Mike, Oxford, called on Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mary Saturday.

Bruce Fraser, Bethel, spent the week end with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mary.

Cheryl Roberts, Welchville, spent Friday with her sister, Sonja Davis and Dawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ross, Paris Hill, called on Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings Sunday.

at the church Monday evening, with 14 attending. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Freda Robertson. F. Owen Wight was elected moderator. Freda Robertson was re-elected clerk. Other officers were Trustees, F. Owen Wight, Mrs. Beatrice Lovell and Mrs. Lynda Lee Heagle; treasurer, Mrs. Sue Wight; janitor, Mrs. Sylvia Wight. A report was made on the furnace fund and a discussion followed. A special meeting will be held at a later date to decide on a heating system.



TO ATTEND GIRLS STATE

Cathy Fiske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fiske has been chosen to attend Dirigo Girls' State, at Husson College, Bangor, for the week of June 16-22. Her sponsor is the Chamber of Commerce. Selected as alternate was Elaine Cross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norton Cross.



GIRLS STATE DELEGATE—Miss

Cathy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis, Bethel, has been chosen to attend Girls State at Husson College, Bangor, the week of June 16-22. Cathy is a Junior at Telstar Regional High School and will be sponsored by the Mundt-Allen American Legion Auxiliary. Chosen as alternate was Miss Juanita Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Holt, East Bethel.

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BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Alice P. Hoyt, Corres. —

The Woodstock Fire Dept. Ladies Auxiliary held its first meeting, Wednesday night, after many years. New officers were elected as follows: Patricia Whitman, president; Jackie Knights, vice president; Carol Whitman, secretary-treasurer; Alice Hoyt, reporter. The first thing on the agenda is heavy cleaning of the fire station. This will be at the next meeting on May 7.

The Greenleaf Cemetery Association at East Milton will hold their annual meeting, May 6, at 7 p. m. at the home of Marion Billings. All persons interested are invited to attend the meeting to elect officers for the next meeting.

Items of interest at the Baptist Church are as follows: Friday evening, the Sunday School teachers will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hathaway; Saturday evening at 6 p. m. will be a fellowship supper for all who make this their home. (Please bring your own silverware.) 6:45 p. m. Immediately following the supper, a film, "The Master's Face" will be shown.

Mrs. Pearl Cole has returned home after a visit to Florida with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Andrews have returned home after spending the winter in Florida.

The Woodstock Alumni will meet at Locke Mills at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Chase on Thursday evening, May 9.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my relatives and friends for the visits and flowers while in the hospital and since my return home.

Marion Tibbetts

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— Mrs. Bertha West, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Littlehale visited his aunt, Iver Littlehale at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital Sunday and found her about the same.

It is reported that Bessie Harvey who is in the Coos County Nursing Home is quite a bit better and walking with the aid of the walker.

The snow is going fast. The field in front of my trailer is all water from its running off down the mountain.

We had a lot of rain Sunday night, thunder and lightning.

Herman Kenney is enjoying his stay at home. He has to go back to the Veterans Hospital, May 5.

Roy Edwards is cutting the alders back of his trailer.

The water at Herman Kenney's has been frozen over three months and thawed out this week. They are of course real pleased, one doesn't realize how much water they use until they have to carry it.

Brian Mitchell of Livermore spent the week end at Philip Hinkley's.

Claude Linnell Jr. who has been in Florida doing some work for his

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. 44 — WEEK OF MAY 6

Monday: Hamburg-cheese pizza, green beans, fruit, bread and butter, milk.

Tuesday: Hot dog in home made bun, corn, fruit, juice, banana bread and butter, milk.

Wednesday: Meat loaf, mashed potato, beets, cookies, bread and butter, milk.

Thursday: Oven fried chicken, buttered rice, peas and carrots, cranberry sauce, fresh apple, mixed breads and butter, milk.

Friday: Tuna burger, cheese slice, toss salad, potato chips, frosted cake, orange juice, milk.

father for two weeks returned Saturday with his mother and father.

Bertha West spent Saturday afternoon and evening in Dummer with the Gleason McCullough and Stanley West families and saw one deer and one rabbit on my way home.

Our oil man, Arthur Carron, reported seeing a big moose in Wentworth Location this morning.

School began this morning after a week of vacation.

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CHURCH NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. James Nason
Rodney Hanson, Chairman
Administrative Board
Organists—Miss Cathy Littlefield
Mrs. Barbara Greenleaf
Superintendent of Studies

Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Church School for all ages.

10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

Wednesday:
10:00 a. m. Study Groups meet at the homes of Mrs. Burton Abbott and Mrs. Robert Gordon.

1:30 p. m. Workshop meets at the home of Mrs. Robert Gordon.

West Parish Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor
Miss Mary Valentine, Organist
Mrs. Sandra Caton,
Church School Supt.

Child Care—Miss Cindy Parker

Sunday:

10:00 a. m. Morning Worship, Child care in the church kitchen.

Wednesday:

3:15 p. m. Church school for Kindergarten through grade 4.

7:00 p. m. Church school for grades 5 through 8.

Thursday 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal at the church.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene

Rev. Ralph LeBlanc, Pastor

A friendly people, who believe Christ is the answer for you and your family.

Sunday:

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

8:30 p. m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday: 7 p. m. Bible Study and Prayer Meeting at the church.

Catholic Services

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Sunday morning at Our Lady of the Snows Church on Route 20.

Episcopal Chapel of Christ the King

Sundays at 7 p. m., Casco Bank Building.

Bethel Gospel Center

at the Odd Fellows Hall

Pastor Edward Gammon

Sunday:

Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.

Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.

Evening Service, 7 p. m.

Wednesday:

Bible Study and Prayer Service, 7 p. m.

West Bethel Church

Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor

Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Church service, 11 a. m.

Choir rehearsal, Friday at 7 p. m.

Ladies' Chapel Aid Society, second Wednesday of each month at 8 p. m.

Lacks Mills Union Church

Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor

Church services, 9:30 a. m.

Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.

Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 8:30 p. m.

West Parish Universalist Church

Joseph Perham, Lay Preacher

Mrs. Elaine Penley, Organist

Worship Service 9 a. m.

Sunday School 10 a. m.

Christian Science Services

In all Christian Science Churches the Lesson-Service is read from the desk in the name. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, May 5, 10:00 a. m. at the church.

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Bethel, Me. H. holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m. and Sunday School at the same hour for people up to the age of 30 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

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8 Stevens St., near the airport.

Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.

Second and fourth Wednesday: 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday evening includes testimonies of healing.

You are cordially invited to attend these services. Everyone is welcome.

The radio series, "The Truth That Heals," may be heard on radio stations, as advertised in this newspaper.

Henry Community Church

Pastor John Collins

Organist Stan Fox

Sunday:

10 a. m. Morning Services.

11:15 a. m. Sunday School.

6:30 p. m. Young People's meeting.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church

Pastor Dwight Toppertberg

Saturday:

Bible School: 10 a. m.

Church Service: 11:30

Prayer meeting: Tuesday evening, 7:30

Bryant Pond Baptist Church

Lester Hanson, Pastor

10:30 Morning Worship Service.

8:30 Young People's Meeting.

9:15 Evening Service.

OXFORD COUNTY COUNCIL AMERICAN LEGION/AUXILIARY MET APRIL 16 AT WEST PERU

Clergy-Dymont Post and Unit No. 129, West Peru, hosted the April 16 meeting of the Oxford County Council, American Legion and Auxiliary. A joint meeting was held with the County leaders, Maurice Bouchard of Bethel, and Dorothy Bailey of Norway, presiding.

The main speakers of the evening were NEC James McMahon of Auburn, and Dept. Civil Defense Chairman Joyce Quinney of Scarborough.

Other guests were Past Dept. Commander Clifford Quinney of Scarborough, Dept. Coupon Chairman Dorothy Flagg of Strong, and Dept. Poppy Chairman Zena Kyes of Strong.

The officers for the year '74-'75 were presented by the nominating committee and accepted. The installation will be held in June at Dixfield.

Girl State Chairman Belle Abbott of Norway announced that the Girls State Banquet will be held on May 11 at the South Paris Congregational Church. She asked all Girl Staters, past and present, and their mothers, to call her about tickets. The National President of the American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. Mary Sue Jarrett, is coming to Maine; a banquet in her honor will be held May 3 at Waterville.

The Anderson-Staples Post and Unit No. 112 of Oxford will host the May 21 County Council meeting, which is Candidates Night.

TELSTAR 11-4 WINNER OVER BERLIN TUESDAY

The host Telstar baseballers rang up their fifth non-league triumph in as many games, Tuesday, 11-4 over Berlin, N. H. The Rebels were scheduled to open their MVC schedule at Jay, Wednesday.

KIMBALL FAMILY ASSOCIATION PREPARES FOR 1974 REUNION

On April 20, 19 officers and committee members of the Kimball Family Association met for luncheon, and a business meeting at the Marguerite Restaurant Colonial Room in Ipswich, Mass., and furthered plans for the 1974 reunion.

Descendants of Richard Kimball, of Ipswich, Mass., which means nearly all Kimballs with a member of this family in their direct line of descent, are returning for their first reunion in Ipswich, Mass., which is where their ancestor lived after migration from England. The date in Aug. 17, with activities planned from Friday through Sunday for those who plan vacations in the area.

President Frank V. Kimball announced that with the help of Mrs. Katherine Wanzler, a Kimball descendant who lives in Ipswich, plans have been made with the Ipswich Historical Society, for a full week's exhibition of Kimball Memorabilia at the Society's home, Whipple House. Also the local Chamber of Commerce will be ready with every possible help, and have the reunion attendees' needs in mind for housing and visiting interesting points.

The Reunion is being held in the Ipswich Masonic Temple on Topfield Road, which is easily reached from Route One and Route One A. There will be a luncheon served by the Easter Star, although there are no parking grounds, for those families preferring to bring lunches. These desirable lunches are urged to send reservations now to Mrs. Glen Wanzler, 10 Mineral St., Ipswich, Mass. 01938.

There will be programs both Friday and Saturday evenings planned by Mrs. Kathy Wanzler. The Friday evening program will be a square dance with Russell Kimball, Greenfield, Mass., member of square dance team, directing.

Dances are also planned both Friday and Saturday evenings at attractive local eating places. On Sunday the members of the Congress Kimball Church will read from the scriptures of the late Rev. David Tenney Kimball, who in early days was pastor.

Mrs. Gordon Kimball, Watboro Falls, N. H., accepted the chairmanship of a holiday craft show by the Kimballs. The Rupert Kimballs, Nashua, N. H., will again sell Kimball hats.

A highlight of the reunion will be the placing of a memorial marker in honor of their ancestor in common, Richard Kimball.

Further plans will be made at the next meeting, June 22, at 1 p. m. in Ipswich.

At this meeting John Hancock Kimball, Lynnfield, Mass., was appointed chairman of the nominating committee assisted by Robert Kimball, Nashua, N. H.; Elizabeth M. Carter, West Bethel, Maine, and Gordon Kimball, Watboro Falls, N. H.

President Kimball appointed Dr. Charles Kimball, President Midwest Research Institute, Kansas City, as Educational Fund Chairman.

Mrs. Eunice Kimball, Middletown, Conn., was appointed chairman of the Bylaws Committee. She announced also that she is sending 175 invitations to Connecticut Kimballs where she is State Chairman to attend a social gathering and lunch at Cook's Tavern, Plainville, May 19.

CORRECTION:
Good commemoration, support of true freedom of the Press, new cause of justice. (Editorial note: This was a correction to a previous article.)

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AT COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING — Left to right: NEC James McMahon, County Council President Dorothy Bailey, Dept. Civil Defense Chairman Joyce Quinney, and County Commander Maurice Bouchard.

THIRD QUARTER HONORS AT TELSTAR ANNOUNCED

High Honors:
Grade 7: Kendall Keniston.
Grade 8: David Clements, Scott Wright.
Grade 9: Julie Edwards, Thomas Wright.

Grade 10: Marjorie Berry, Irene Howe.
Grade 11: Robin Dooen, Douglas Brooks, Catherine Fiske, Judith Hakala, Juanita Holt, Timothy Mills, Matthew Wright.

Grade 12: Teresa Belisle, Susan Bryant, Mary Ann Chapin, Ellen Clark, Herbert Coolidge, Anne Dolloff, Gale Glover, Catherine Haskell, Gilette Lamontagne, Pierette Lamontagne, Christine Twitchell.

Honor Roll:
Grade 7: Nancy Buck, Glenn Conrad, John Cluke, Judith Campbell, Rachel Farrington, Nalasha C. Fehell, Peter Chandler, Edward Mason, Brenda Cushing, Bethany Rowe, Al-an Dunham, Jody Haines, Rocky Hamor, Kelly Hutchins, Blaine MacKay, Leigh Michaud, Maureen Millett, Betsy Mills, Christopher Mills, Janice Morgan, Teresa Morgan, Kenneth Morton, Richard Morton, Marc Rainey, Timothy J. Swan, Betsy Ann VanDeursen, Marcia Wahlen.

Grade 8: Kurt Brown, David Berry, Gary Dunham, Lorna Winslow, Brian Flynn, Phillip Gauthier, Jane Hathaway, Maryanne House, Chris Jennings, Paula Mills, Faith Morgan, Stephen Morrill, Patricia Owens, Marc Packard, Susan Perry, Ann Summerton, Amy Vogt, Manya Dombkowski.

Grade 9: Sandra Carver, Brent Swan, Dan Gammon, Kimberly Coolidge, Lori Thayer, Nathan Greenleaf, Denis Corriveau, Theresa Tracy, Bradley Wright, Rita Corriveau, Susan Vogt, Scott Denis, Rick Wazanen, David Dolloff, David Webster, Mike Dunn, Donna French, Kelly Ingraham, Noland Martin, Linda McAllister, Paul Morgan, Linda Moran, Michael Murphy, Lloyd Poland, Linda Scott, Cheryl Sessions, Catherine Smith, Rob in Taylor.

Grade 10: Candy Bennett, Peter Emmons, Donald Bailey, Donna Brooks, Jerome Holt, Steven Clark, Debbie Burk, Mary Chapman, Alana Chase, Debbie Cole, Pamela Coolidge, Kathryn Dregan, Debbie Demas, Eric Dombkowski, Sandra Gammon, Celeste Gauthier, Wilfred Gibson, Vikki Hall, Carol Hayner, Susan McKay, Nancy Melville, Kathy Morry, Debra Munn, Christopher Olson, Anna Packard, Leifland Poland, Kathy Richardson, Lester Richardson, Jerry Roberts, Linda Rochester, Pamela Gledinger, Thomas Trecker, Bruce Swan, Karen Swaney.

Grade 11: Levi Brown, Kathryn Chapman, Kathy Davis, Cheryl Fournier, Vicki Gentry, Regina Grounau, Kevin Goff, Elizabeth Davis, James Dolloff, Joan Hoyt, Gordon Kendall, Edward Kessett, Ken dris Keniston, John Powers, Patti Savage, Lynn Swaney.

Grade 12: Dwight Bailey, Donna Morgan, Ernest Chapman, Linda Hettell, Teresa Inman, Ralph Mills, John Richardson, Sheri Learned, Linda Cole, Randy Olson, Nancy Kimball.

Practical Arts — Honors
Grade 8 Debra Garey; Grade 10 Richard Buck; Grade 12 Nancy Kimball.

NEWSOM COMPLETES REQUIREMENTS FOR 1974 MILLION DOLLAR ROUNDTABLE

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Mr. Newsom has been associated with W. J. Wheeler & Co., Inc., for five years and is active in property and liability insurance for his community.

He lives in South Paris with his wife, Nancy, and two children, Suzanne and Michael.

MRS. OSBORN IS GUEST AT BABY SHOWER

Mrs. Susan Osborn of Davidson Hall at Gould Academy was the guest of honor at a baby shower given by Jean McGuire, Nancy Davis and Cathy Newell at Mrs. Newell's home on Thursday, April 25. A color scheme of lavender and white was carried out in flowers, candles and a cake decorated for the occasion by Mrs. McGuire. Many appropriate gifts were presented to the mother-to-be, and during the evening phone calls were received from the grandmothers-to-be in Maryland and Virginia.

Attending the shower were: Christine Grover, Bea Bigelow, Maizie Dolven, Lynda Chandler, Mary Hurd, Ruth Feeney, Ann Hayne, Jane Barth, Janie Vogt, Martha Trower, Carol Fiske, Meg Cousins, Phyl Glines, Mary Anderson, Susie Van Ness, the hostesses and the honor guest.

Sending gifts but unable to attend were: Linda Wade, Bonnie Pooley, Nancy Litchfield, Helen Wright.

BETHEL HEAD START

Well, another busy week has gone by for the Head Start children. They have played out a lot and let's hope the nice weather continues.

We would like to thank Dr. Hudson for letting us visit his animal hospital and showing us all the animals.

We would all like to thank Mrs. Cross for letting us visit her kindergarten class Wednesday and Thursday.

Well, some of the Head Start children made their second visit to the clinic with only a few tears. We still need doll carriages — so if anyone has one not in use and would like to donate it to Head Start, please contact one of the following: Martha Bates (824-2933), Judi Bean (824-2883), or Sandra Savage (129-21).

We would like to thank Norman Stone for donating a pencil sharpener to the classroom.

Volunteers for the week have been Virginia Learned, Norman Stone, Linda Morgan and Nancy Kimball.

There will be a Head Start Registration Day, May 15, at the Head Start Center in the Nazarene Church, Church St., Bethel, from 1 until 4 p. m. Anyone that has a child that will be four years old by Oct. 15 and would like to register them for Head Start please try to come at this time. If for some reason you are not able to come at this time — contact Martha Bates and some arrangements will be made.

SPRUCE MOUNTAIN SNOWSPORTS CLUB MEETS

Snowday evening, April 28, the Spruce Mountain Snowsports Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Akers in East Milton with 22 members present.

It was decided May 12 would be a work and play day combined. In the morning work will be started on the club house with a picnic dinner then a baseball game in the afternoon. Plans are being made to hold a public supper to raise money for the club.

Letters to the Editor

1401 South Ave.
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To the Editor:

Having been a summer resident in your area for the past 13 years everything that concerns you, concerns us also. At the present time you are having a difficult time trying to get a good resident doctor for Bethel without much success.

Your next thought is to obtain a Physician Assistant. May we say that you are on the right track in this respect. My wife and I have had four years of experience under the care of Nurse Practitioners as they are called in the Yale-New Haven Medical Clinic and we can honestly say that we have been taken care of most admirably. Many people will be reluctant about going to one of these Practitioners, feeling that they will not be given the same care as they would from a doctor. To them we would say, fear not. The doctors in many cases are delighted to have these assistants relieve the load that they are carrying because in doing so the patients are being given more attention and consequently more confidence. These assistants or practitioners are fully qualified to perform their duties. They take nothing away from the doctor.

This is a phase of public health that is spreading all over the nation. The medical schools and hospitals are really encouraging its expansion. Our practitioner has attended seminars as do the doctors, she has to make the hospital rounds with the doctors, she has to make

parts of the country in medical schools as well as nurses training centers.

We feel very confident when we

ELEANOR GORDON GUILD

Mrs. Judy Barker hosted a meeting of the Eleanor Gordon Guild on Wednesday evening, April 24, with 10 members attending. Mrs. Mary Dooen led devotions. Plans were discussed for the Mother Daughter banquet to be held May 21 at the United Methodist Church. It was voted to donate money to the Methodist Camp Fund, and also to furnish grubs for the Friday Gilt Shop. The program was a talk on family planning by Mrs. Barbara Greenleaf.

Following the May banquet, meetings will be suspended until fall, with the September meeting at the home of Mrs. Beatrice Lowell.

Berry, Vera Swift, Dorothy Sullivan, Dottie Boyce, Polly Davis, Barbara Merrill, Coni Goffo, Sheila Daye, Mrs. J. A. Osborn, Sr., Mrs. John Ward, Kesa, Kath, and Purna Olborn.

On April 20, the students of Davidson Hall gave a party in honor of Mrs. Osborn. Refreshments were served and the students presented Mrs. Osborn with a portable stroller.

WE'LL NEVER DO IT AGAIN

by Walt Cherry

Real estate broker jargon includes several clichés to describe their feelings, and if you are an experienced home buyer you will recognize them for what they really mean.

For instance, "charming cape" means it's old and crooked, on a swampy lot. "Gracious living" means large, drafty rooms and costs a fortune to heat. "Needs paint" means it needs new siding to go with the paint, as well as gutters and probably a new roof. "Historical landmark" means it has dry rot and needs new underpinnings.

There are several other catch phrases they use, but we have never seen one that would have applied to our purchase of 3 1/2 years ago. So far as we know, we've never seen a cliché that could mean "should bulldoze or burn and start new."

We wanted to settle in Bethel 3 1/2 years ago and found suitable acreage at a price that was fair, for the acreage. We really got a "better bulldoze it" house. In fact, all the above-mentioned clichés were applicable. The interior was immaculate, and at a glance, we could see the "potential". What we ended up with, is a new house, or rather, 2 new houses and 1 old, for where single walls stood, we now have new ones both outside and inside the old. (A trick we used to straighten the sides of the building). No wall, no floor, no door, no ceiling, was straight.

We are almost finished "redecorating". We still sit in a garage, but several hundred feet of drainage has lowered the water table some. We are happy with our home.

Land, view, and some dandy neighbors, but we'd never do it again. If you are shopping for property, we suggest you take it at face value, only one broker's cliché — "will bulldoze it" — but check the water supply, and the number of lumber trucks barreling by each day.

go to our practitioner that she can give us the best of care. If we need a doctor the will and has directed us to the right one for our particular ailment or malady at the time. We can't sing high enough our praises of the Physician Assistants or Nurse Practitioners and we speak from experience. So we say to you readers if you cannot get a doctor for Bethel put your trust in these dedicated people and we are sure you will not regret it.

Sincerely,
John M. Sweeney

Bethel, Maine
May 1, 1974

Dear Editor,

I would appreciate it very much if you would let me express my sincere thanks to Mr. Ira Goodwin, of North Turner, Maine for his courtesy and consideration in drilling my arctesian well at my farm on Gorge Road, Bethel, Maine.

Sincerely,
Jafar Devlet Muraz
Bates College Prof. Retired

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Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. — Mrs. Phyllis Lowe has received word that her daughter has arrived safely in Fairbanks, Alaska. Her address follows: Sp5 Gloria E. Lowe, 695-29-0208, Support Company, Special T. R. P. E., APO Seattle, Wash., 96731.

Mollycodd Sportsman Club will meet May 11 instead of May 4 at the Legion Hall for a 7:30 p. m. meeting.

Brownie Scouts will hold a food sale Saturday, May 4, at Co-op Store, 10 a. m.

There will be an "open house" honoring Mr. and Mrs. Leon Proctor on their 50th wedding anniversary at the Legion Hall, 2-4 p. m. The Alumni are planning a public supper for May 11, at Grange Hall, 6 p. m.

Philip Morrill, New Hampshire, has returned to his home on High Street for the summer.

Mrs. Lula Buck was given a surprise birthday party Tuesday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Randall Buck, Oxford, Paula Beleckis, Vicki and Andrea Millett, Lewiston.

West Paris Senior Citizens will meet May 7 at the Legion Hall, 1 p. m. An instrumental group from Victorian Villa, Canton, will entertain.

Mollycodd Buyers Club are having a meeting May 7 at Bryant Pond Grange Hall, 7 p. m.

Ethlyn Ruokolainen and Cliff Lord, Rochester, N. H., called on Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Ruokolainen and girls, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perham and Cathy attended the New England Square Dance Convention in Rhode Island over the week end.

West Paris fire department received two calls for fires in Woodstock, Sunday.

Forward Fellowship will go on their annual outing in May. Members that plan to go are to call Frances Bradeen by May 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cram visited relatives in Sanford over the week end.

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UPTON

Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Dave Larson are working on the former Henry Enman place owned by Bob Charron. They plan to move in with their three children very shortly.

Moose have been seen frequently especially in Grafton flats. Fred went down to take some pictures one morning.

The ground was covered with more than 6 inches of snow Wednesday morning (April 24). It was very beautiful and even more so on Thursday when the sun shone.

Roger and Bernie took advantage of it by having a sugar cat. They invited everyone in town and nearly everyone came and enjoyed the sugar which was done to perfection and the fellowship. Some of the group who have not lived here long and have mingled with a group of townspeople only during town meeting and the like expressed surprise and pleasure that we can enjoy fellowship without argument and politics. A few years ago there was an abortive attempt to use the school house for friendly get-togethers.

Perhaps since it is under new management something along that line may be forthcoming. Also, there are plans to re-open the use of the recreational field given to the people by Cedric and Jennie Judkins.

With the increased population there is even hope that the Ladies Aid may be taking on a new look. For some time the organization has had only one arm extended palm up, the other arm palm down and droop ing.

S/Sgt. Earl Lagesse was in town over the week end working on his place. His family who had been here a week returned to Portsmouth where they are now stationed.

The selectmen went to University of Maine at Farmington for a seminar given through Maine Municipal Association for town officials.

Larry Emman is driving the school bus for two days.

Mary and Eleanor LeCompte took Ellie's dog to the vet Monday for a check-up.

Except for the brief winter interlude we have been enjoying very warm Spring weather.

Katie Douglass spent a day at her place here with her daughters and their children.

We kept a watchful eye on a couple of youngsters who had stopped at homes asking for matches. Via telephone we learned they had secured some matches. Their mothers were not home and they had gotten an armful of dry grass and disappeared behind some vacant buildings. They were checked out and found on a rock where they were having a "picnic". It could have been a different story but was a case of volunteer neighbor helping neighbor in typical country fashion.

Saturday I attended an Artex instructors seminar in Augusta. I offered the regional manager from Westboro, Mass., the snow from the pick up body. She looked rather startled as though she thought the stuff had long since ceased to exist. The meeting was most interesting and I brought back several pieces of the new additions to the line.

Ray Haley had guests at his home for a few days.

LOCKE MILLS
Mrs. John Mills, Corres. — Dora Ford and Bertha Flanders attended a 50th birthday party for Leroy Titus at South Paris Saturday and afterwards called on Mr. and Mrs. Leon Packard at their home.

Marcia L. Mills was one of six teens attending the NYPS convention at Skowhegan Friday and Saturday with Rev. Ralph LeBlanc as supervisor. Others attending from the Bethel Church of the Nazarene were Shirley Merrill, Preston Cobb, Cheryl Larlee, Sandra Larlee, and Hal Larlee, Jr. Mrs. Ruth Larlee, Pastor LeBlanc and Mrs. Mary Cobb provided the transportation.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross were in Norway Saturday forenoon.

Mrs. Lester Cole is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital. She went Sunday afternoon. Anyone desiring to send her a card, please address it to Mrs. Lester Cole, Room 22.

Man Street is a "hang a new line" with the Red Garters and the Leroy Jordan's house getting a new ceiling and now the former Bertha Kimball property now owned by Harold Chibbey, is being readied for a new coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Mr. J. attended a ceremony presented by the Gold Healed Cane to Mrs. Mary grandfater, Guy E. Lapham, 100 years old, in his home in Bryant Pond. The ceremony was held at 90 years old. Mrs. Verna Lapham served refreshments after the ceremony. Mrs. Mills was unable to attend due to a truck meet at day.

Saturday callers at Lester Cole's were Mr. and Mrs. Elton Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cole and Mrs. Elton Cole.

On Friday, April 26 Mrs. E. Lapham, Librarian of the Bethel Library, was in town.

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NOTICE
Applications for a Class A Restaurant License to sell Spicyuous and Vinous Liquors; and a Restaurant Mail Liquor License, have been submitted to the Bethel Municipal Officers for approval.

Applications of Alfred A. Pomorieux, 37 Washington St., Rumford, d/b/a Freddie's and Son, Rt. 2, West Bethel, have been taken under consideration by the Bethel Municipal Officers for approval. Any citizen of Bethel who desires to show cause why these applications should or should not be approved, may do so at a meeting to be held for that purpose at the town office.

Leland R. Brown
Chairman, Board of Selectmen

SONGO POND

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. — Once again Songo is free of ice it having finally all disappeared on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kimball arrived home last Thursday morning from their winter home in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball of Lewisberry, Pa., spent the week end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Adams and children of Hanover visited at Mrs. Ralph Kimball's Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Kimball has been spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Ethel Bean, and family in Otsfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitney of Casco, Boyd Winchester and Forest Kirk of Portland were Sunday morning callers at Howard Lapham's also at the Jimmy Kimball's.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and Timmie called on the Ed Burnhams in North Rumford Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jennie Perkins came home this week end after spending the winter with her daughter and family in Gorham, N. H. Her grandson, Donnie Tanguay, is staying with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pepin and Samantha of Portland spent the week end at Jimmy Kimball's. Others there were Mrs. Katherine Gordon and Paula Cordwell, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Burgess of Greene also several neighbors.

The possibilities and preliminary actions for cleaning up Songo Pond were discussed at a coffee hour Tuesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kallis. A great deal

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WEST GREENWOOD

Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gilbert were in Rumford recently.

Stan and Laurie Wilson visited Alden and Irene Wilson one evening.

Lee Mills, Locke Mills, called on us Tuesday forenoon.

"One of man's universal traits appears to be his liking for taking his fellow man's virtues for granted and his vices for gossip."

of interest has been voiced for some sort of organization to act as a legitimate spokesman for cleaning up the pollution and preserving the environment of this area for now and for future years. Others attending besides the host and hostess were Mrs. Arlan Jodrey, Mrs. Robert Blake, Mrs. David Salway and Mrs. Ralph Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle were in Cape Elizabeth on Sunday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCulloch and family, and Mrs. Judy Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Beaupre and Bobby were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Rita Walker, Mechanic Falls.

Correction: Mrs. Lillian Bryant and Mrs. Gloria Roberts, Lewiston, were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle.

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BETHEL AREA MOTHERS CLUB

There is a Bethel Area Mothers' Club. A lot of people did not know this, because of lack of publicity. We hope to change this by having a monthly write-up.

What is a Mothers' Club? Our Club takes in Bethel and its surrounding area. Members do not have to be mothers or wives just interested women of any age. The club tries to do things for children, senior citizens or the needy in our area.

Things that have been done are: an Easter egg hunt, Santa Claus at the Common, food sales and supporters to raise money for other projects.

Officers for our club are: Jean Pease, president; Patricia Vail, vice president; Nancy VanDeursen, secretary; Virginia Learned, treasurer; Judith Bean, publicity; Martha Bates and Mary Jane Dufey are on the executive committee with the above officers.

Other members are: Ann Rayne, Gladys Sumner, Sharon Rice, Sheri Learned.

We need more members in our club so would like to invite anyone interested to please come and at least visit to see if they would like to join.

Our meetings are the second Thursday of every month at the Casco Bank in Bethel at 7:00.

We would like to thank everyone who helped or donated for the Easter Egg Hunt. Special thanks to the Chamber of Commerce who helped sponsor the Easter Egg Hunt. Winners at the Hunt were: Perry Fiske, record player; Lawrence Carey, inflatable toy; Dana Bean, Jr., fishing rod; Anita Kimball, doll carriage.

THANK YOU

We wish to thank all our relatives, friends and neighbors for the lovely party which was given in our 50th wedding anniversary.

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BID INVITATION FOR GARBAGE COLLECTION CONTRACT

The White Mountain National Forest is inviting bids for garbage collection from the following areas: Crocker Pond Campground, Gilead Picnic Area, Hastings Campground, Wild River Campground, Cold River Campground, Basin Recreation Area, CCC Overlook and Cold River Overlook for the period May 27, 1974 through September 27, 1974. Collection from approximately 100 camps is involved on a pre-set schedule to cover approximately 47 days. Full information concerning the contract, specifications, and submission of bids should be obtained from the District Ranger, Bethel, Maine. Price quotations will be received by the Contracting Officer, Forest Service Building, PO Box 633, Lincoln, New Hampshire 03240 until close of business on May 17, 1974. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Bid invitations may be obtained at the District Ranger Office. A showing of the area and a discussion of the contract will be made by Forest Service personnel on Wednesday, May 8, 1974. All interested parties are urged to attend. The meeting place is the District Ranger Office, Bridge Street, Bethel, Maine at 9:00 a.m. local time. Request for Quotation is number R44-23WM74.

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— Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres. —

Approximately 20 attended the Open House at the Library on April 19 sponsored by the Friday Club. Librarian Margaret Learned and Polly Johnston were hostesses. Richard Johnston displayed pen and ink sketches; Harold Hodsdon displayed wood carvings. A local resident, Arthur Schroeder displayed water colors and oils under his pen name, Wyman Hall. An enjoyable evening was spent.

An executive meeting of the Oxford County Literary Union met recently at South Paris. President Ann Fox, presided. The May 21 meeting will be held at Fryeburg. Also attending from the Andover Friday Club were Dorothy Greenkow, Secretary of the County Literary Union; Dorothy Campbell, Treasurer of Andover Friday Club, and Louise Mills.

A Prayer and Praise meeting was held at the Calvary Congregational Church recently and two important issues were discussed and voted upon. A Family Fellowship will meet one Sunday evening a month beginning this fall. Dr. Savard will be a guest speaker for several meetings, a date to be announced.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sennett Jr. have returned from a trip to Nova Scotia, where they visited with relatives.

Howard Glover entered the Rumford Community Hospital last week but was removed from the ICU over the weekend. Gloria Cayer returned to her home this week following surgery at the Community Hospital.

Friends of Mrs. Victor Akers will be sorry to learn that she is hospitalized with a broken ankle and a badly sprained ankle. She was bowling last week when the accident happened. Mr. and Mrs. Akers moved to Rumford last fall after living in Andover for many years.

The Alumni officers met with Janet Field on April 25. In the absence of President Charles W. Marston Jr., Orville Meisner will take over the duties of the president. The banquet and ball will be held on June 15 at the Town Hall.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO ESTABLISH BRANCH

Notice is hereby given that the Bethel Savings Bank, Bethel, Oxford County, Maine, has made application to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation for its prior written consent to establish a branch at Main St., Harrison, Cumberland, Maine. The application was accepted for filing by the Boston Regional Office of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation April 19, 1974.

Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his comments in writing with the Regional Director of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at its Regional Office, Two Center Plaza, Room 810, Boston, Massachusetts 02108.

If any person desires to protest the granting of this application he has a right to do so if he files a written notice of his intent with the Regional Director within 15 days of the date of this publication. The nonconfidential portions of the application are on file in the Regional Office as part of the public file maintained by the Corporation. This file is available for public inspection during regular business hours.

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the Town Hall. Another meeting is scheduled for May 10 with Mrs. Field. Others attending were Orville Meisner, Ann Bishop and Darlene Hall.

There will be a food sale at Mills' Market on Saturday beginning at 9:30 a.m. for the benefit of the Ladies Aid of the Congregational Church. The committee is Marion Bodwell, Margaret Learned, Thelma Clark and Josephine Poor.

First Congregational Church Notes

The church's community Youth Center will change its hours for the duration of the season, opening at 8 p.m. and closing at 10:30 p.m. beginning this Saturday. The day of opening will be announced each week, depending upon the schedule of events in the community and at the high school.

The church's Sunday program will operate as usual this week end, with church school at 9:30 a.m., morning worship at 11:00, and Junior High Youth Fellowship at 4:00 p.m. The Sanctuary choir will rehearse as usual on Wednesday at 7:30. There will be no rehearsal for the Junior Choir this week, however.

At a congregation meeting on Monday evening, April 29, the members voted to authorize the Trustees to enter into contract for the painting of the exterior of the Church and Christian Education Building. It was also decided to hold this year's Vacation Church School during the week of June 17-21, with a public supper to finance the school to be put on by the men of the church sometime following.

Staff for the school has for the most part been located, with the exception of the superintendent for the week-long school. It was voted to maintain the regular 11:00 a.m. hour for Sunday morning worship during the summer months. The Standing Committee will meet before the first of the month to make recommendations to put before the congregation for the use of the balance of a recent gift to the church, a portion of which will finance the church painting. In addition, the Pulpit Committee will meet at that time to discuss pastoral remuneration for Rev. Norrie's second year with the church, which will begin on July 22, 1974.

It was also announced that Church School Sunday will be observed on June 9, with a family service during morning worship time. Plans are underway for a family picnic on that day following the service. Details on these events will follow.

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EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Miss Cathy Howe was home over the week end from her studies at the University of Maine, Gorham. Mrs. Maud Davenport and Mrs. Floribel Haines attended the meeting of the Oxford County Senior Citizens at South Paris Tuesday. Mrs. Floribel Haines and Mrs. Lilian Bartlett attended the Retired Teachers' meeting at the Moses Mason House in Bethel Saturday.

Mrs. Oiva Whitman and Debbie of South Paris were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Leona Curtis.

Miss Dorothy Bartlett visited friends in Boston a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Coolidge of Northwest Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Elliott and Matt of Andover were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge.

Little Jim Grover caught his first trout with an alder fish pole he made, so he knows he doesn't need a \$20 pole to catch fish!

Misses Alma and Florence Merrill of West Bethel were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grover visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grover and baby in West Bethel Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches were in Portland Friday to see the doctor and then visited Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Verrill in Woolwich over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham of Bethel were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches.

Mr. Winchester of Portland called at the DesRoches Saturday while Mr. and Mrs. DesRoches were in Woolwich.

Miss Jackie Crockett was an overnight guest of Miss Susie MacDonald Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crockett and daughters, Karen and Stephanie; Mr. and Mrs. George Crockett and children, Andy, Chris and

Wanda of Locke Mills; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gibson III, were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crockett.

Miss Esther Crockett took her car to Poland to Herrick's Garage for body work Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crockett went with her so they could bring her back.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks took Daryl Frazer home to Lewiston Thursday, and did some shopping. Then they visited the Frazers for a birthday party for Charles Jr.'s seventh birthday at supper.

John S. Hicks of Bethel visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball and children attended the Jim Cox Bluegrass concert at Telstar Saturday.

Rosalie Coolidge was honored with a birthday party Sunday with the following present: Sandra and Eddie Linnick; Karen and Joyce Marshall; Velora and Jimmie Kimball; Penny Bean; Jackie Cross; Patty Hudson and Teresa Coolidge and Rosalie. They played games and

later enjoyed cupcakes and ice cream. Rosalie received many nice gifts.

Mrs. Donald Croteau and children, Pam and Teddy, Milan, N. H., visited Mr. and Mrs. Leland Coolidge Saturday. Later Mrs. Coolidge with Mrs. John VanDeursen and Kevin of Bethel returned to Milan with Mrs. Croteau for the rest of the week end.

Wallace Coolidge of Bethel visited Leland Coolidge Sunday and afterwards they visited Mrs. Wallace Coolidge at Ledgeview.

Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and children, Denise and David of Andover; Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster.

Rodney Howe has completed his employment at Benedix in Rumford and was honored at a party on Friday, April 19, at Freddie's Restaurant.

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VIPS AT JACKSON-SILVER POST MORTGAGE-BURNING — Left to right: NEC Agnes Doughty; NEC Alternate John E. Howe; State President Virginia Merritt; Unit President Sylvia Dunham; Past State Commander Vito DeFilippo; Post Commander Richard Melville.

MINIMUM WAGE TO INCREASE ON MAY 1st

Maine's minimum wage will increase to \$2.00 per hour May 1st. Even though the special session of the 106th Legislature passed a bill which would increase Maine's minimum wage to \$2.00 on October 15, 1974, the Maine law now in effect requires the Maine minimum wage to be increased to the same amount as the highest Federal rate on the same date as the Federal increase. Because of the increase in the Federal minimum wage effective May 1st, Maine minimum wage will increase from \$1.50 to \$2.00 on that date and will be increased to \$2.10 January 1, 1975, and \$2.30, January 1, 1976.

Nursing homes and hospitals will not be included in the increase to \$2.00 by Maine law, but will be subject to certain increases by the Federal law.

Also, the rate for students who are less than 19 years old will be increased on May 1st from \$1.43 per hour to \$1.50 per hour under the Maine law.

The only change in Maine minimum wage law on May 1st will be the hourly rate increase, but this increase will cover all businesses that are now subject to Maine's \$1.50 rate, regardless as to the size of the business or the number of employees.

Information pertaining to the State minimum wage law may be obtained by contacting the State Bureau of Labor and Industry at Augusta.

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WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Lena Gilbert, Corres.

Mrs. Hazel Wheeler entered the Rumford Community Hospital, Sunday. She expects to undergo surgery this week.

Mrs. Wendell Roberts is still very ill with shingles, as it is in one of her eyes. She is under the care of an eye specialist in Berlin, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stowell of Shirley, Mass., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell Jr. a few days on the week end returning home Saturday afternoon.

Harry Swift came Sunday to spend the summer with his daughter and family, the George Stowell Jrs. in West Bethel.

Mrs. Lena Westleigh is still a patient at Rumford Community Hospital. She is reported to remain about the same.

On Tuesday, April 23, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy took their daughter, Dorothy West, to Portland to see a specialist as she has had a lot of trouble with her back. The Alanson Cummings went with them to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lofreda and Mrs. Helmi Cummings.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings attended the dedication of the new Corrine Clark Wing of the Gray Manor Home in Gray. In Norway they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Cummings. On April 29 the Cummings were in West Paris to attend the birthday party of her brother, Warren Waterhouse. The testimonial banquet in Winthrop for Past State Commander American Legion Peter Thannan was enjoyed by the Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe, Mrs. Carla Bennett and Mrs. Clara Rolfe were in Lewiston on Monday.

David Kneeland of Kents Hill called on his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland, Saturday.

Mrs. Warren Hayes of Shelburne, N. H., and daughter of Plymouth, N. H., were visitors at Mrs. Frances Bennett's on Saturday.

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NORTH PARIS

Eveline C. Barrett, Corres.

As a person drives down the avenue, it looks like the Oxford County fairgrounds. Today a derrick trailer and three trucks arrived. A phone was installed in the trailer office. A temporary bridge will be built first to go across the dam where the boulders are.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Richardson spent Saturday at Mildred Hazelton's laying her new linoleum. Mildred spent Wednesday and Thursday nights at the Richardsons.

Herbert Stevens is on vacation this week.

Terry Elliott and Donna Thompson went to Dr. Lebel's Thursday to have stitches cut. John O'Hearn also in Lewiston to the eye doctor. Eveline Barrett has been having the flu bug.

Irene, Chris and Darlene Richardson took supper with Mildred Hazelton Friday. On Sunday, Mildred had dinner with her brother, Herbert Stevens and family.

Irvin Thompson went to a heart specialist Wednesday.

FRANKLIN GRANGE #124

Monday evening, April 15, Franklin Grange #124, entertained Paris and West Paris Granges at 6:30 supper at Bryant Pond Grange Hall. There were 48 present.

Paris Grange #44 filled the officers chairs and West Paris #298 Lecturer carried out the following program, read by Sister Harmon, Lecturer of Paris Grange; Opening Song, Onward Grange, by all; Patriotic Reading, Madeline Jacobs; Tableaux representing Faith, Hope, Charity and Fidelity, reader—Audrey Hadley, pianist—Lyndell Farr, soloist—Arlene Farr; Happy Anniversary sung to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bennett who were celebrating their 30th wedding anniversary; Quiz, read by Mrs. Hattie Harmon, answered by the members; Closing Thought—Mildred Hazelton; Song, Count Your Blessings, by all; First prize for Franklin Grange Milk Posters was won by Lettie Brooks.

The next meeting will be held May 2 with West Paris hosting the meeting, Franklin officers and Paris program. A 6:30 supper will be served by West Paris Grange. The others will bring pastry.

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GEORGE LOGAN

George Logan of Dewey, Ariz., died unexpectedly early Wednesday morning, May 1, 1974, at the Veterans Hospital, Prescott, Ariz., where he had been a patient a few days.

Born at Albany, Sept. 9, 1914, he was the son of Thomas and Carrie Penley Logan. He resided in Albany most of his life, until moving to Arizona several years ago due to ill health. A veteran of World War II, he served in the European area and was prisoner of war for some time. Before moving to Arizona, he operated the Songo Lake Pavilion, Albany. He was married to Winnie Russell of Nova Scotia, Can., who died in 1971.

Survivors include three sons, James and Peter, of Prescott, Ariz., and Ronald of Phoenix, Ariz.; one daughter, Anne of Dewey, Ariz.; a brother, Harry of East Stoneham, and a sister, Mrs. Hilda LaFrance, Wallingford, Conn.

Funeral services will be held at 9 a. m. Saturday at the Ruffner funeral home, with interment in Mount View Cemetery, Prescott, Ariz.

DR. MORGAN TO SPEAK AT TELSTAR AUDITORIUM SUNDAY, MAY 5

There are few men on the scene today who are able to present Biblical truth in the light of the changing times and increasing despair which characterize today's fragile situation of moral and spiritual deterioration. Dr. Bruce L. Morgan, President of the Bible Institute of New England, St. Johnsbury, Vt.,



Dr. Bruce L. Morgan

will be speaking at the Telstar Regional High School Auditorium on May 5 at 3 p. m., presenting a provocative message "tuned in" to the seventies. His lectures on a vital and relevant Christianity in a chaotic age have brought purpose, meaning, and hope. A discussion time will follow in the cafeteria.

The Bible Institute of New England has itself become an oasis of hope in time of spiritual death, and each year attracts a large number of visitors, particularly college students, who are in search of an answer.

Bruce Morgan is considered by many to be one of the outstanding Bible teachers and has become increasingly known for his lectures on Christian living. He is also a student of Bible prophecy. Each year his schedule carries him back and forth across the United States speaking in many churches and Bible Conferences. He has served on several mission boards and has held positions of leadership regionally and nationally in evangelical Christian circles.

With Dr. Morgan will be the Singers of Praise, a musical ensemble from the Institute who will be sharing the ministry of life in the Lord Jesus Christ in music and personal testimony.

The Singers of Praise are nine students who are studying at the Bible Institute. Each student has come into personal contact with the Lord Jesus Christ for whom they serve, rejoice, and sing praises.

The public is invited to attend.

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10 YEARS AGO

Plans for a scenic park in the Grafton Notch area were underway. New quarters for the South Paris Water Company were completed on Park Street opposite O. K. Clifford Co. garage.

Different types of buildings were proposed for a fire station in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Coolidge moved into Wade Thurston's apartment.

A forest fire burned over a square mile of land near Mud Pond, Mexico. Five bulldozers and several forestry pumps were used.

Mrs. Jane Van moved to her new home recently built on Vernon Street.

Two representatives from the Maine Aeronautics Commission visited and inspected Bethel airport. The airport met all the specifications of a commercial airport.

Ice went out of Lake Umbagog on May 1.

Deaths: Mrs. Lena Ellingwood, Mrs. Nora Merrill, Royal A. Hodgdon, Franklin A. Downie.

21 YEARS AGO

Hebron Academy was celebrating its 150 year mark.

Strong opposition was voiced on the location of a street between Arthur Herrick's and Mrs. Howard Coburn's on Paradise Street to house lots on the southerly side of the Crescent Park School grounds.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gilman and family at North Bethel was destroyed by fire. Loss was estimated at \$75,000.

Ernest Luxton purchased his new home in Skillington.

The Van Telephone and Telegraph Company was authorized by PUC to issue \$25,000 in capital stock in anticipation of converting to the dial system.

Deaths: Mrs. Anna Mae Taylor, Mrs. Lulu Merrill, Mrs. George H. French, George Maynard Chase.

30 YEARS AGO

Cpl. Robert Greenleaf was stationed in England.

Milton Plantation came under the administration of the state.

T. S. Laurence Bartlett was stationed in India.

Deaths: Harry Coolidge, Fred Taylor, George Shirley Chase.

40 YEARS AGO

Bethel Athletic Association leased Riverside Park grounds for playing baseball.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Williamson and family moved to Sunday River.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Flint purchased the Levi Bartlett place on Chapman Street.

Deaths: Mrs. Hannah Jewett Gould, Alfonso W. Bean, Celdon Foster, Mrs. Columbia Dunham, Elsie M. Emery.

50 YEARS AGO

A. Van Den Kerkhoven built a hot house at the rear of his home on Elm Street.

Jesse Chapman purchased the Robertson and Hall Garage on Main Street.

60 YEARS AGO

Alton C. Maxim's grain mill in South Paris was destroyed by fire. Purity Chapter O. E. S. and Sunset Rebekah Lodge presented a drama in Odeon Hall.

Deaths: Alonzo Frost, Oreleus Young, Abiel Goss.

Rebecca Keniston was home for the week end from Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kuzyk, Framingham, Mass., spent the week end in town.

Mrs. Wayne Perry and son, Jonathan, Bristol, Conn., visited the past several days with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry.

Guests during the week end at the Perry home were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Enman, Joey and Evie, Washington, Me.; Mrs. Earle Enman, Rumford; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffin, Cape Elizabeth.



BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY PHOTO

At the Hastings Homestead, East Bethel, summer of 1893 — from left to right, are Agnes Hastings Howe (1859-1930); John Hastings Howe (1891-1943); John Decatur Hastings (1825-1904); Clarence Decatur Howe (1886-1900); Emma Kimball Hastings (1828-1896); Agnes Howe Bettinger (1889-) lives in Rockport, Mass.; Mary Hastings Howe (1855-1918). Standing in rear: Mary Fildfield Hastings (1877-1926); George Kimball Hastings (1863-1944).

John Decatur Hastings was a Selectman of Bethel from 1884-1887. His grandson, John Hastings Howe, served as a Selectman from 1927-1943. One of his other grandsons, Clarence Decatur Howe, emigrated to Canada in 1908 and later served in the Canadian federal cabinet from 1935-1937.

TELSTAR LIBRARY RECEIVES GIFTS

Through the generosity of many people, the Telstar Library has received a great many fine additions to its collection in recent months.

Mrs. Madeleine Gibbs, Librarian, would like to take this opportunity to thank publicly the following for their contributions, which have been very much appreciated: Rodney Abbott, Lawrence Arsenault, Paul Burke, Deane Churchill, Elton Cole, Eighth Grade Class, Harold Clukey, Susan Ellsworth, Richard McCann, Mundt-Allen Post of the American Legion, Nathaniel Pearson, George Philippon, Kenneth Ramo, Rumford Rifle and Pistol Association, Charles Taylor, Elizabeth Tebbets, Telstar Library Club, Ross Timberlake, James Fiske, Patty Gill, Sheila Hebert, Stanley Howe, Fred Lincoln, Randy Littlefield.

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IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Harriet Forbes of Rumford was the visitor of Sylvia Conroy for a few days last week.

Mrs. Thomas Carter, Pam and Lorna, returned home Thursday, April 25, from Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Eddy have spent the past week visiting their two daughters in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Virginia Keniston went to the Locke Mills Elementary School Friday and conducted a story hour there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Bowden, Smithfield, R. I., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Butters and family.

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MISS ROLFE HONORED AT SURPRISE BRIDAL SHOWER

A surprise bridal shower was held April 28 for Ann Marie Rolfe at the Casco Bank, Bethel, given by Alice Smith.

Guests attending were: Perdita Davis, Elsie Douglass, Polly Davis, Karen Douglass, Mary Davis, Judy Carroll, Pamela Carroll, Aldea Dalphonse, Ann Greenleaf, Velzora Tibbetts, Jeordie Merrill, Phyllis Blake, Shiela Blake, Helen Dalphonse, Sue Theriault, Katy Parker, Maryvonne Wheeler, Ruth Conner, Donna Douglass, Ruth Cummings, Eleanor Brooks, Mary Doon, Mary Gatchell, Elaine Hutchins, Robin Doon, Lindie Blake, Carolyn Tyler, Jannine Buck.

Unable to attend but sending gifts were Millie Jackson, Margie Conner, Velzora Trites, Jeri Brooks, Karen Hathaway, Judy Webster and Monique Rolfe.

MISS DOMBKOWSKI HONORED AT BRIDAL SHOWER

Miss Ellen Dombkowski was guest at a surprise bridal shower, Friday, April 26, at the home of Merry Robertson, in honor of her forthcoming marriage to Jerry Durgin.

Those attending were: Mrs. Denise Brown, Mrs. Sally Hamon, Mrs. Peggy Tripp, Mrs. Ann Roy, Mrs. Lindie Blake, Mrs. Ann Greenleaf, Mrs. Carolyn Brooks, Miss Jeri Brooks, Mrs. Betty Gilbert, Mrs. Marsha Denison, Mrs. Betty Robertson, Mrs. Thelma Dombkowski, and Miss Marya Dombowski, all of Bethel; and Miss Joanne Chick of Sanford.

Sending gifts but unable to attend were: Miss Gretchen Dock, Miss Nancy Trinward, Mrs. Siggie Kenne, Mrs. Danna Nickerson, Mrs. Ruth Grover, Miss Frances Thurston, Mrs. Frances Gunther, Mrs. Helen Berry, Micki Gold, Mrs. Anna Dombkowski, Mrs. Marion Dombkowski and Sharon Dombkowski.

Refreshments were served and a heart shaped shower cake was made by Mrs. Leona Flint.

The honor guest received many nice gifts.

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